

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this application.

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Original) An alloy for use for glasses frames,

characterized in that the alloy comprises the following composition (in weight-percent):

Sn 8 to 14 %  
Zn 1 to 8 %  
Mn 0.001 to 3 %  
P 0.001 to 0.3 %  
Fe 0.001 to 0.5 %  
Cu remainder.

2. (Currently Amended) The alloy according to Claim 1,

characterized in that the alloy has the following composition (in weight-percent):

Sn 11 to 13 %  
Zn 1.5 to 4 %  
~~Mn 0.001 to 1 %~~ Mn 0.001 to 0.1 %  
P 0.001 to 0.05 %  
Fe 0.001 to 0.02 %  
Cu remainder.

3. (Previously Presented) Glasses frames, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 1.

4. (Previously Presented) Jewelry, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 1.

5. (Previously Presented) Metal parts for pieces of clothing, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 1.
6. (Previously Presented) An intermediate product or precursor material, particularly a wire, strip, or rod material, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 1.
7. (Previously Presented) Glasses frames, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 2.
8. (Previously Presented) Jewelry, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 2.
9. (Previously Presented) Metal parts for pieces of clothing, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 2.
10. (Previously Presented) An intermediate product or precursor material, particularly a wire, strip, or rod material, manufactured using an alloy according to Claim 2.